

Albert Street Primary School

Friday 1st September

Community News

What's On

Tuesday 5th September

Dress Rehearsal at Lowanna 2.15pm pick up from ASPS (highly recommended)

School Concert
5.30pm students to arrive in costume.

6pm Concert starts

Friday 8th September Gippsland's Biggest PJ Day

Thursday 14th September

Footy colours dress up day Free sausage sizzle lunch!

Friday 15th September

Last day of term

2pm finish

CANTEEN DAYS

Canteen Closed until further notice

Partnership

A Chelsea—Being a funny and amazing friend

W Jannali—Always being there for me and being kind to me
Mrs H—Being there by my side when I need you the most

A Respect

Mrs Gooding—Spending her time getting ingredients and cooking with us

R Pride

Ruby—Completing a whole page of writing Seth—Completing a whole page of writing

S Isabella—Your effort in writing so very neatly at all times

Ellie—Always holding the door open and doing the chairs

Noah—The care you show when you are writing

Ken—Being focused on the BTN episode and recording 65 formal language words



School Concert Tuesday 5th September—5:30pm

Get your tickets now!

The concert is nearly here! Rehearsals are going really well and everyone is so excited for Tuesday's concert. Tickets will be available up until the night and a limited number will be available at the door. Hope to see you all there



The community of Albert Street PS Moe encourages everyone to dare to dream and reach their potential in supportive, caring environments. Together we recognise and celebrate our success.

Warrawee everyone,

Concert Requirements

The morning of Tuesday 5th September <u>all staff and students</u> will be travelling to Lowanna by bus for concert practice. The buses will be leaving at <u>9am</u> students must be at school on time.

Students will be returning to school at approximately 2.15pm. It is highly recommended that you pick your child up from school at this time. Parents / carers are welcome to go to their child's classroom for early pickup. This will give you time to prepare your child with an early dinner, rest and getting into their costume.

TICKETS are available at the office. If you have been placed on the waiting list for extra tickets we will contact you on Monday 4th September. Any unsold tickets will be available for purchase at the concert. Remember we only have a limited number of tickets in accordance with Lowanna's OH&S policy.

Snacks, Drinks, Raffle and Lolly Jar

Please remember to bring along cash to the concert to be able to enter the raffle of a 10kg Cadbury block of chocolate. "Life is Like a block of......"

A range of packaged snacks, treats and cold drinks will be available to purchase on the night of the concert.

These are all fundraisers for our new school play equipment.

School Council Summary

Thankyou to all councillors who volunteered their time to attend the August meeting. JSC students Burt and Lyncoln presented reports on the concert poster competition and student voice. Bek attended to present information about our improving attendance data, Ann-Marie spoke about disabilities inclusion at out school and Deb spoke about sustainability projects.

Dr Monique Osborn

Self Defence

Last week, our 5/6 students had the opportunity to attend a self defence class at Studio Health Fitness in Moe. As part of student voice, this was an activity that the students requested. Students learnt how to defend themselves in a safe way, including techniques to ward off an attacker. The students (and staff) had an awesome time and are looking forward to another session. A huge thank you to Studio Fitness for hosting ASPS.



Mindfulness

To assist our students to engage in their learning, our prep/1 class have been practising mindfulness techniques. Mindfulness involves focussing on your breathing and allowing your body to relax, whilst still being aware of what is happening around you. Our prep/1's used relaxation teddies to lay on their tummies so they could observe their breathing.



Concert tickets

We are all looking forward to our concert on the 5th September. Tickets are on sale at the office. Tickets are \$10 each and are limited to 5 per family. Extra tickets will be available closer to the concert.



Cooking with Mrs Gooding

Our cooking program continued last week with Mrs Gooding and 5/6 students. Pictured are Maddi, Poppy, Shkaylah, Sophia and Darcy making ham and salad wraps. Students went to the supermarket to purchase their ingredients and prepped them at school. They look delicious!





Footy Colours Day/Free Sausage Sizzle—Thursday 14th September

On Thursday 14th September we are holding a Footy Colours Day and invite students to wear their favourite team colours. A free sausage sizzle lunch will be provided for all students on this day.



Gippsland Biggest PJ Day—Friday 8th September

We are very proud to be supporting this year's Biggest PJ Day to support children in Out of Home Care. On Friday 8th September, we invite all students to come in their PJ's and donate a gold coin or bring a new pair of PJ's to donate. All money raised will go towards purchasing resources to support foster kids.



Reminders

Sentral—Absences

Did you know you can notify the school of absences using the parent portal? Please ensure you load the absence or call the school prior to 9:00am if your child is absent. You can also load absences in advance if you have an upcoming event or appointment.

Spare Clothes

On the odd occasion, students do require a change of clothes at school, whether that be a toileting accident or just getting wet out in the yard. To save calls home, we ask that you put a change of clothes in your child's bag along with underwear, socks and a plastic bag.

Hats

Please ensure your child has a hat at school to wear whilst outside. If your child does not have a hat, they can be purchased from the office for \$15.

Gates/Late arrivals/Early Pickups

All gates are locked at 8:45am. If your child is late to school (after 8:45am), or needs to attend an appointment, access will be via the front gate only. At times the gate will be locked for incidents around student safety. Should the gate be locked, please call the office.

Family Pick ups and drop offs

A-G Yellow Gate

H-O Green Gate (Front)

P-Z Blue Gate

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Meet our new Wellbeing Officer Sam!!

This week we welcome Sam Woodroffe into our Wellbeing Role. Sam's office is a part of the Wellbeing Hub. My name is Sam and I am excited to be taking on the role of Student Wellbeing and First Aid at Albert Street Primary School. I have been working in schools for six years with a primary focus on first aid and medical needs. I am a huge animal lover. I have a feisty bearded dragon named Digger and am currently bottle feeding three baby miniature goats! You'll often find me humming or badly singing along to which ever song is stuck in my head or quoting Harry Potter. I look forward to getting to know each of the students and their families, providing support and a friendly face.



What's going on in wellbeing?

30th August: 5/6-Dr. Karl

Dr. Karl is zooming in to answer the very imaginative environment questions thought of by our Grade 5/6 students.

September 8th: Gippsland's biggest PJ Day!

Gippsland's Biggest PJ Day is a partnership between a group of community supporters and ABLFFK(A Better Life For Foster Kids).

The goal of Gippsland's Biggest PJ Day is to: Raise money, Grow awareness and Collect donated items.

So come to school in your comfiest pjs and either bring a gold coin donation or a pair of pjs to donate to children in the foster care system. We made such an impact last year and I'd love to do it all again!

September 14th: Footy Day—Free sausage sizzle

To say "thankyou" to our wonderful school community, ASPS are running a FREE sausage sizzle on Footy Day. Orders will be taken soon

NEXT TERM

October 27th: Day for Daniel: Wear RED and Donate

Day for Daniel is all about creating conversation around personal safety, boundaries, consent, body recognition and online awareness and safety. Wearing RED and donating will create more resources to keep more kids safe!

Transitions (Kinder-Prep) (Year 6—Secondary)

Term 4 Wellbeing team will be focused on transitioning our 2024 Preps to school and getting our Year sixes ready to embark on their secondary school journey.

Rotary wrap-up

Our Rotary Program wraps up early this term. Speeches and presentations are well under way and celebrations will take place for all of their hard work this year.

Lunchtime Activities

As the weather warms up, the Wellbeing Team and our House Captains will be planning more lunchtime activities based on student voice and enjoyment factors.